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MARCH 1, 1918

The minimum requirement to yearly customers shall be \$9.00 per year per meter.

A. F. POPE, Manager.

TIMELY TOPICS

Wise, Super-Wise and Otherwise

SAILORS HAVEN WILL CELEBRATE

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A BADGE OF HONOR.

I see by the papers that the 25th birthday of the Sailors' Haven in Charlestown, founded and conducted by Mr. Stanton H. King, will occur on April 5th. It is recalled that Mr. King started this organization next door to a saloon. In the quarter of a century it has prospered amazingly, and is known and loved by those who sail the seas.

I have witnessed a great many delightful affairs there in which the part taken by Mr. King and the sailors was the most enjoyable. To see Mr. King preside over a meeting is to know the secret of the success of the organization. To Mr. King the sailor is the one important factor to be made happy. No wonder they all love it.

The Sailors' Haven is an especially interesting place just now, for scores of officers and seamen in the merchant service, whose pictures hang in the big rooms, have lost their lives, and many of the steamships have been sunk since the submarine war began.

LABOR AND FREEDOM.

The hope of labor lies in the opportunities for freedom; military domination, supervision, checks, bondage, lie in Prussian rule. So declares the executive committee of the American Federation of Labor.

This is a bright and clear conception of the issues involved in this war for the working man. It is not through a German regime but through democracy that labor is to receive adequate recognition and its realization of its rightful place in the world.

All Americans are supremely and vitally interested in the war against German autocracy and none more than the working men of America. To him freedom means everything.

The test is on whether the autocratic regime of Germany has bred better men than the free institutions of this country have—whether the independent men of America can fight so well, can manufacture such guns and aeroplanes and other instruments and munitions of war and put them into effective use as can the human product of German rule.

There is no doubt of the result, but it depends upon the whole American people and not alone upon our fighting men. We who remain at safety at home must do our part, work, economize, save and support the finances of the Government. Industry, saving, and lending to the Government are now national needs and national duties.

WAR SAVING STAMPS.

Kindly notice the quarter page ad. inserted and paid for by the Hull Public Safety Committee, who is the second organization to go "over the top" in helping the government in advertising the War Saving Stamps. Societies, business men, individuals, churches, everybody can help by donating space to the government to advertise its securities.

The first organization to donate space for this purpose was the Guld of St. Elizabeth. All honor to both! Hull is never behind in anything asked by the government.

NOTICE.

March 15, 1918.

Owing to war taxes, increased cost of paper, stock, labor, etc., the business of the Hull East Wind and allied newspapers will be put on a strictly cash basis. April 1st, all in arrears for subscriptions will be crossed off the list. I hope no one will take offense at this. I know that it is a matter of not thinking, but subscribers and advertisers are getting very lax in the matter of paying bills and it puts me in a hole as I have to pay cash.

E. J. Sirovich.

HULL BOYS EXAMINED.

An examination of the boys in Class I was held at the headquarters of the exemption board for Division 37 at Rockwell began March 9th. Those from Hull examined were Edward Dee, Toney G. Cole, Alexander Coker, John T. MacKinnon, Michael J. Broderick, William H. Goodman, John B. W. McGarry, Joseph McDonald, Henry W. Mitchell, Jr., John A. Robinson, Ralph L. A. Rindfuss, Victor H. Reynolds, Lamberto A. Rondi, David M. Kilborn, Angelo D'Amato, Harry D. Gerold, Guy W. Ettinger, Eustachius Stratakis, Joseph E. James.

Cosmic Dust.

When a "shooting star" strikes our atmosphere, its energy or motion is transformed into heat, from the friction produced by the air, and the "star" is literally burned to ashes. These ashes fall upon us in a continuous shower, and constitute the greater part of what is commonly known as cosmic dust.

Girl in a Compote.

We often have occasion to deplore the coarseness of our vocabulary, and yesterday, when a dear girl told us that she had received just the loveliest compote, we assumed our best society manner and told her that we hoped to see her in it before the day was over.—Ohio State Journal.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

The papers in this syndicate are Hull East Wind, Hingham Herald, Cohasset Citizen, Scituate Sentinel, Marshfield Gazette.

EVERYBODY TAKE NOTICE.

Will correspondents please notice that the office of the Puritan Linotype has been moved from Purchase St., Boston, to 65 Austin St., Cambridge, and that all news for our publications should be sent there. All papers in this syndicate are now printed at 65 Austin St., and so far as we are concerned the old office does not exist.

SERVICE BASIS OF BEST NEWSPAPERS OF FUTURE

"The successful newspaper of tomorrow will be based on service, not scoops," declared Hugh Allen, managing editor of the Akron Beacon Journal, in an address before 250 young men at the Y. M. C. A. there.

"To print the news of the day from whatever section of the world news is being made, to print it accurately, adequately, intelligently, shall still be the function of the newspaper. But the newspaper of tomorrow will go farther,

It will strive not only to interpret the history we are making, to point out the meaning and the menace of events, to warn the individual and the nation against tendencies that are ill, but it will strive in ways limited only by its ingenuity and its wisdom, and by the responsiveness of its readers to make the community and the state a better place to live in."

THOUSANDS APPLY FOR CLERICAL JOBS IN WASHINGTON

That American men and women are eager to accept every opportunity to help in the nation's greatest undertaking is evidenced in the responses received to the announcement of the United States Civil Service Commission of the need for general clerks. The Commission sent out a call for clerks to be employed in the departments to Washington, and January 5, February 9, and March 9 were set as examination dates. About 35,000 persons applied for admission to these examinations. A large percentage of the applicants came from persons whose sole purpose in seeking Government employment was to help keep the war machine moving. This prompt and heavy response has made it necessary to hold further examinations for general clerk in the near future. Examinations for stenographers and typewriters and for clerks trained in certain special or technical lines are still being held.

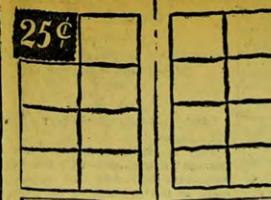
The most pressing need of the Government at present in Washington right now is for a large number of well qualified stenographers. The Civil Service Commission urges persons who are equipped to pass the stenography part of the examination to apply at once. Examinations are held at least once a week in 50 of the principal cities. Definite information and application blanks may be obtained from representatives of the Civil Service Commission at post offices.

STEP IN RIGHT DIRECTION

I have read some where that it proposed to make a selective draft of loafers and vagrants not able for army service but capable of farm work to be mobilized on government farms. In my estimation that is a step in the right direction and I hope that the idea will be carried out.

Watch For The Hull Boy Scout. He Will Call on You Within A Week.

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The other lesson is that of patriotism. He has learned "to do his bit." A country worth living in is a country worth fighting for. He is too young to fight, but he wants to help.

While you rejoice that he cannot go to the front, teach him to help end this war by loaning his savings to his government.

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If you will show him how money breeds money, he will be all the better for it. And every penny he saves and lends may help to save some other mother's boy—may go a long way toward bringing peace to all.

Encourage him to begin saving today. It's real patriotism—but it is more. It is laying the foundation for his future—and it is helping to make him what you want him to be.

WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

Thrift Stamps cost 25 cents each and draw no interest. You can buy them from your letter carrier, either city or rural route, at your post office or your bank. You will be given a card to paste them on. This costs 16 Thrift Stamps on this card. When your card is full, take it to your post office or bank. Fill it with a few cents additional and your card will be exchanged for an interest-bearing War Savings Certificate worth \$6 on Jan. 1, 1923.

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"Greater Love Hath No Man"

By SUSAN E. CLAGETT

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that our lives must be led apart. I have tried your patience these past months, but I have been obsessed by the fear that I did not care enough to give up my independence and be happy in so doing. It has taken this to make me know."

"That you do not love me?"
How much I cared." Her voice faltered. "Do not make it hard for me, Joe. I—I cannot bear that just now."

He covered her restless hand with his. "You have always seemed to me a woman of unusual intelligence, Harriet. I find that I am mistaken. Your talk is idiotic. I have known you were restless in our engagement. You were afraid marriage would curtail your various interests and bind you to a life you could not escape. That is about it, is it not?"

"Dear, did you ever really think what home meant—home, spelled in big capital letters? Not an apartment; not rooms in a hotel—but a home with space about it, with roses, with beds of old-fashioned phlox, with trellises of sweet peas. Inside, comfort, not luxury; old-fashioned, with the sun streaming through the windows, the fire in the living room glinting across the rugs, and the two of us sitting there contented. I have pictured this too long to give it up. The only difference between anticipation and reality is that the scene changes from the living room to your own. For a little time you will not move about with your usual freedom. That will right itself, and the sooner we get home the sooner you will be better."

"Joe, I tell you—"

"Put your mind on those rose beds, Harriet." He paused, then went on in a lower tone. "Put the whole of your mind upon my need of you. If I knew you would spend the rest of your life as you are lying now, I would not give you up. Neither of us has any but the other. Your money will buy you service. It will not buy what I give you with my whole strength."

Her eyes clouded with tears. "Greater love hath no man," Joe, dear, but I cannot let you bind yourself to such a life of sacrifice."

"You would do it for me."

The answer was an unhesitating "yes."

He bent toward her. "I have never held you in my arms, Harriet; you were not approachable. It would hurt if I took you into them now, and I must wait. Neither have I kissed you. That can be remedied, and will give you something to think about far pleasanter than that taradiddle of Doctor Marsh's."

The color flooded her face. "You wouldn't. I am helpless."

"Harriet, I would—and will." Sutting action to words, he kissed her, not once, but many times, then hastily left the room.

But for all his apparent assurance he was troubled. Navigation would soon close, and it was imperative they should leave on the next steamer. It was equally imperative that she should marry him, and the only man in town at the time accredited with power to perform the ceremony was a Justice of the peace.

He knew she would object, and to one of less steadfastness of purpose the outlook would have been discouraging as he went to her, his hands full of letters, that for the moment absorbed him, but not to such an extent he did not feel her hand travel down his coat sleeve and come to rest in the broad palm opened to receive it.

"Joe, when does the steamer leave?" He looked up at that. "Tomorrow. Why?"

"Could I go?"

"Of course. I would not leave you." She seemed to weigh something in her mind before speaking again, then said wistfully:

"It would be lovely to live in that old-fashioned house and have such a wonderful garden."

"You are going to live there, Harriet. What is more, you are going to walk about that garden with me and see its wonders by moonlight. I have arranged with Judge Harris to call this evening and marry us."

"Judge Harris! There is no question of marriage now. If there was, do you think I would consent to be married by any one other than a minister of my own church?"

"As we are situated, there is no help for it," he answered quietly. "You must reach Johns Hopkins at the earliest moment. Marbury is on the hospital staff, and you cannot be in better hands."

"Joe! Joe! What do you take me for? I cannot accept such a sacrifice, even if I were willing to be married by a Justice of the peace."

"There is no question of sacrifice. It is something deeper. Be sensible. You cannot travel with me unless you bear my name."

"Sensible! I think I lost my senses last night when you kissed me," she said under her breath. But he heard, and at once kissed her again.

Two years later Josiah Chapman crossed the piazza of his old-fashioned house in the Green Spring valley and called his wife through the open door. "Harriet, I have brought an old friend home to dinner. Come and welcome him."

The echo of his voice had scarcely died away in the broad hall before she came toward him, slowly, haltingly, and aided by a crutch, but erect and walking. Facing her, a gentleman waited with outstretched hand. For an instant she paused in surprise, then laid her own hand in the one held out to her.

"Ah," she said with the utmost pleasure, "no one could be more welcome at Yarrow than Judge Harris. Against my will he made me a very happy woman."

THE RED CROSS NURSES OF EUROPE ARE GIVING TOASTED CIGARETTES TO THE BOYS

To anyone who doesn't know of the wonderful advances that have been made in the preparation of smoking tobaccos in the last few years it may sound strange to speak of toasted cigarettes.

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Adv.

Beginning March 18th and continuing for a week there will be a big drive made by the American Library Association over the country to get 1,000,000 books to be sent "over there" for immediate distribution in the circulating libraries, already established for those in service. Several hundred thousand books are already in circulation, but the demand is so great that many more are needed.

No magazines are wanted, but Detective stories, Adventure, Poetry, Biography, Science, Text Books, Books on the War Boys' Books and last, but not least, good up-to-date novels, will be gratefully received.

The Assn. wants new books to be given, or books in excellent condition, for these books will of course be handled much and need to be in good order when received. Give books you received last Christmas and have read—books you would be glad to receive again, and give with the liberal hand, and the generous spirit which is justly due to those who are defending us. Big Book Drive begins March 18th. Be ready for it. Books will be received at the Paul Pratt Memorial Library.

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Mrs. Richard Sankey, Mrs. George Melcher (nee Charlotte Edwards) and Mrs. Edward Ripley are going South to visit Lts. Melcher and Ripley.

Lt. Sheldon Ripley has been promoted to Adjutants' Assistant.

Sergeant Archibald McLellan of Co. K now stationed at Spartansburg, S. C., is home on ten days' furlough. Sergeant McLellan reports all the boys of Co. K as being in perfect health.

Mr. Louis Goodwin, who now works in Washington, has returned after a few days spent here with his family.

Pneumonia stalks abroad, and "safety first" as regards correct clothing and eating to defeat the insidious ends and aims of the "March Lion" we are entertaining, is advice perhaps worth following. Too much fur around the neck will not make up for insufficient covering of the feet, and many a cold is brought on simply by an over eat.

Harold Barnes, who entered Co. K last Spring as a private, has been advanced "over there" until he has reached the proud position of Sergeant Major. Mr. James Brickett has also been promoted to Sergeant Major, the highest non-commissioned title there is and he is now in the Judge Advocate's Office, Headquarters 26 Division.

Rev. and Mrs. Fred Stanley have received a nice letter from Dudley Dean of 101st Regt., now in the trenches "over there."

Mrs. Sally Bates of Boston, an elderly lady, was brought to Coasset last Friday for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. Odin Towle are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son—Herbert Russell on Feb. 27th.

Mr. Ernest Ritter has bought Mr. Warren Snow's property, which includes the two houses on South Main street. Mr. Nudd, who occupies the bungalow, will move out and Mr. Chas. Trott is to occupy the bungalow. The house which Mr. Trott has occupied has been bought by Mr. Edward Higgins, who now lives in one of Mr. Snow's houses on James lane on South Main street.

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Adv.

The Red Cross are planning to send boxes to Edward Newton, Lockhart Smith, Cecil Taylor, Charlie Durling, Fred Pratt and Archie Bumpus.

The Baptist church opened its doors to a fair sized congregation Sunday in spite of the weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Bryant and daughter have lately returned from Virginia, where they have been visiting Mr. Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Bryant.

Mrs. Peterson and daughter have returned from the South.

Howard Cobbett spent the week end at Miss Hannah Sherman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Delano are expected to return to their home at Marshfield Centre very soon.

Mrs. Arthur Baker has improved very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Sherman are closing their home for the summer and are going to live in the house of the late Ezra Sampson. Mr. Sampson left three daughters to mourn his loss, and who will spend the summer at the home at Marshfield Hills.

Mr. Roy Bonney, George Lane and their friend spent the week end with Ralph W. Ewell at Camp Perigan. Miss Agnes Ewell has returned home.

The next council meeting and regular meeting of Tea Rock Chapter, D. A. R. will meet with Mrs. Herbert Chandler, April 1st.

Miss Lucy Ames is not very well.

Quite a number of the ladies attended the meeting of Tea Rock Chapter, D. A. R., Monday.

No school Monday.

The whist had a large number present.

The fire company is still on the map.

Experimenting.

On entering Milliken's room one day his friend Pingley found him thumping the piano with all his might and drawing the most discordant noise from the instrument. "What in the name of all that is good are you playing?" asked Pingley. "I am trying to play that score of Wagner's" replied Milliken. "But the score is upside down," said Milliken. "I had it the other way up at first, but couldn't make head or tail of it, so I thought I might succeed in this way."

Sardines and Herrings.
Enormous quantities of very young herring are caught in seines along the Maine coast. These are packed in cottonseed oil and sold as "sardines," which is exactly on a par with selling chopped veal under the name of chicken. The true sardines are caught on the coasts of France, Spain and Italy and are packed in olive oil.

Authorship Long Hidden.

The Waverley novels were so called because the first of the series was called Waverley. It was published anonymously in 1814, and was followed, year after year, by other novels all published anonymously until 1827, when at a public dinner party Scott admitted the authorship.

The Proper Attitude.

The proper attitude of a man toward woman is not a very complicated affair. The fellow who admires her is a good fellow, honors her if she is a mother, respects her if she works, has sympathy for her if she is in distress, and pities her if she stumbles in a fair way to become a gentleman.

—Houston Post.

Manor for Sheepflock.

A Western editor recently referred to a "herd" of sheep, and he was promptly corrected by another editor, who asserted that he should have called the "herd" a flock. Most people will be disposed to side with the latter, and yet, how are they going to explain the fact that the person who takes care of a flock of sheep is a shepherd?—Christian Science Monitor.

NOTICE

THE SPANISH TOPICS

CASTLE SQUARE.

A great variety of pictures, together with music and dancing, will make up the Castle Square program during the coming week. The Castle Square Players, one of the favorites of the bill during the past two months, still maintain their popularity, and every afternoon and evening, under the direction of J. A. Jocelyn, they will offer a half hour selection of familiar Southern melodies and dances. Nothing in American fun is more appealing than these tunes of the Southland, and they will be given their full flavor by the Castle Square Players.

Ed. Ferguson is the best known of the picture stars on the Castle Square program, and she will be seen in latest photoplay, "The Song of Songs." In this there is a mingling of comedy and drama, and Miss Ferguson's personality perfectly fits the character of the heroine. Wallace Reid will appear in "Things We Love," a popular photoplay, and the complete entertainment will be continuously varied from its opening hour at half past twelve until half past ten in the evening. The tea room is still proving one of the leading attractions at the Castle Square.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE.

"Hamilton" in which George Arliss enters upon his third week at the Hollis Street Theatre, next Monday, is a play, says the Boston Transcript, out of American history when Philadelphia was capital of the United States and Washington President, with Hamilton for chief figure and room for Jefferson, Monroe, Giles of Virginia and other political worthies of the time. It discloses Hamilton as masterly and upright financier, astute party-leader, loyal friend, keen-witted enemy, devoted husband and victim of a passing intrigue with a woman in which he prefers public and domestic infidelity to stain upon official and political integrity. The piece yields moral interest, for the theatre, of time, place, personage and narrative, moves vividly and plausibly, moves vividly and plausibly, moves vividly and plausibly.

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Pretty Frocks for Afternoon Wear



While these wearers of the pretty afternoon frocks compare observations on rose culture, we have opportunity to take note on two approved models of dresses made in the new styles. The designer of the gown at the right chose a wool fabric and found the allowance of four and a half yards which patriotism will concede to one dress, all that he needed. The other frock is of striped satin and plain georgette crepe, which need not be conserving, but it uses only just enough material to carry out a design that makes modest demands in fabrics.

The wool frock is a one-piece model with narrow, plain skirt joined to a plain bodice, by a wide, straight belt of the material. The sleeves are close-fitting, making place for a row of small cloth-covered buttons, set close together, which appear to have become the hallmark of class on blouses and gowns. A panel of cloth at each side is turned up and ornamented with a

large embroidered motif in two colors, one of them matching that in the frock. The neck is finished with a repetition of this motif in smaller size.

A double tunic distinguishes the picture. It has a narrow underskirt of crepe with a long tunic of crepe finished at the bottom with a wide band of striped satin. The full sleeves are of crepe with bands of the striped silk at the wrists. The easily draped bodice is cut with a square neck-opening at the front and is made entirely of silk, joined to a pointed tunic of silk that is shorter at the back than at the sides and front. It does not extend across the front of the frock and its shape and length are style features of the season that characterize coats in coat suits as well as tunics. Frocks of this kind usually fasten under the arm and on the shoulder. A lace-trimmed organdy collar and cuff set is so good a finish for this frock that it may be considered a necessity.

Her New Easter Bonnet



Just as the hats of their mothers and big sisters are blossoming out into regular bouquets of flowers, and shapes are fairly covered with trimmings, hats for little girls seem disposed to the simplest sort of decoration. This is especially true of the pressed shapes in fine Italian millan that are so well suited to childhood and other blocked hats, but there are many little fabric-covered shapes as well that are all but untrimmed.

Two hats that belong in this class of meagerly trimmed but pretty hats for the little miss of five or more years, are shown above. One of them, the hat at the left, is of Italian millan in natural yellow-white of the straw. Its brim is much like a pique bonnet, and its crown has an indented ridge just below the top which adds much to its good style. A dash of dark blue velvet ribbon is tied in a soft knot, its two short ends hanging off the brim at the right side, near the back of the hat. Each end of velvet is finished with a cord and half of silk. This is a lovely hat for a little miss with flaxen curls, and is becoming to dark-haired children as well.

The fabric-and-braid hat at the right has a drooping brim of "carpet" prairi—a new braid finer and smoother than the caterpillar braid that it resembles. The crown is crepe georgette in a heavy quality and crepe is used for facing the brim. Baby velvet ribbon makes the dash with loops and ends at the back that serves for trimming this little model, and three tiny

roses, made of folded silk, are set primly about it, one in front and one at each side. This hat is shown in several light colors, all making a good setting for the roses in dark rose-red or other dark color, that pronounce the design well finished.

Julie Bottomly

Shopping a Serious Matter.

There is one consolation for soaring prices, for it is an undisputed fact that the more you have to pay for an article, even when this increased price is no more than fair, the more conscient and helpful sales people are in serving you. Since shoe prices have been high, it is surprising how seldom we are urged to take shoes that we do not care for. And when we must pay \$3 a yard for woolen goods that not long ago we could have bought for scarcely more than half that price, no one urges us to decide in a hurry. Shopping now becomes a serious matter, as well with the sales people as with the shopper.

Sleeves or Sleeveless.

Whether you will have sleeves at all in your new spring coat or wrap is a mooted question. Some of the new suits are made with Eton coats without any sleeves. There are velvet sleeveless coats made with smut belts that are specially designed to wear with silk or cotton gingham dresses.

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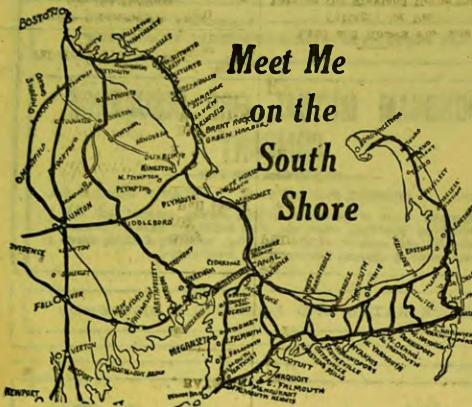
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Sugar is selling today throughout America at from 8½ to 9 cents a pound to the consumer, even though there is a world shortage which has reduced this nation's sugar allotment to 70 per cent of normal.

Through the efforts of the United States food administration the sugar market has been regulated as far as the producer, refiner and wholesaler is concerned. The food administration has no power to regulate retail prices except by public opinion. Even though more than 85,000 tons of sugar have been shipped to France in the last four months the retail grocer's sugar price is around 8 to 8½ cents. He should sell this sugar at 8½ to 9 cents, the food administration believes, and asks the American housewife to pay no more than this amount.

Last August when the food administration was organized the price of sugar rose suddenly to 11 cents a pound. During the Civil War sugar cost the consumer 35 cents a pound. By regulation of the sugar market and reducing the price to 8½ and 9 cents and keeping it from advancing to 20 cents the food administration has saved the American public at least \$180,000,000 in four months, according to a statement made by Herbert Hoover the other day.

"It is our stern duty to feed the allies, to maintain their health and strength at any cost to ourselves," Mr. Hoover declared. "There has not been, nor will be as we see it, enough sugar for even their present meager and depressing ration unless they send ships to remote markets for it. If we in our greed and gluttony force them either to further reduce their ration or to send these ships we will have done damage to our abilities to win this war.

This committee, while holding strong

views as to the price to be paid for Cuban sugar, has not had the final voice. This voice has rested in the governments concerned, together with the Cuban government, and I wish to state emphatically that all of the gentlemen concerned as good commercial men have endeavored with the utmost patience and skill to secure a lower price, and their persistence has reduced Cuban demands by 15 cents per hundred. The price agreed upon is about \$4.80 per hundred pounds, L. O. B., Cuba, or equal to about \$6 duty paid

New York.

"If we send the ships to Java for 250,000 tons of sugar next year we will have necessitated the employment of eleven extra ships for one year. These ships—if used in transporting troops—would use 150,000 to 200,000 men in France."

Reason for World Shortage:

As Mr. Hoover pointed out, the United States, Canada and England were sugar importing countries before the war, while France and Italy were very nearly self supporting. The main sources of the world's sugar supply was Germany and neighboring powers, the West Indies and the East Indies.

German sugar is no longer available, as it is used entirely in Germany, which also absorbs sugar of surrounding countries.

England can no longer buy 1,400,000 tons of sugar each year from Germany. The French sugar production has dropped from 750,000 to 210,000 tons. The Italian production has fallen from 210,000 tons to 75,000 tons. Thus three countries were thrown upon East and West Indian sources for 1,025,000 tons annually to maintain their normal consumption.

Because of the world's shipping shortage the allied nations started

drawing on the West Indies for sugar; East Indian sugar took three times the number of ships, since the distance was three times as great.

Suddenly the west was called on to furnish and did furnish 1,420,000 tons of sugar to Europe when 800,000 tons a year was the pre-war demand. The allies had drawn from Java 400,000 tons before the shipping situation became acute.

"In spite of these shipments," Mr.

Hoover stated the other day, "the English government in August reduced the household sugar ration to a basis of 24 pounds per annum per capita. And in September the French government reduced their household ration to 18-20 pounds a year, or a bit over 1 pound of sugar a month. Even this meager ration could not be filled by the French government. It was found early in the fall. America was then asked for 100,000 tons of sugar and succeeded in sending 85,000 tons by December 1. The French request was granted because the American household consumption was then at least 55 pounds per person, and it was considered the duty of maintaining the French morale made our course clear."

Today the sugar situation may

be summarized by stating that if

America will reduce its sugar con-

sumption 10 to 15 per cent this

nation will be able to send 200,000

more soldiers to France.

Sugar today sells at seaboard refineries at \$7.25 a hundred pounds.

The wholesale grocer has agreed to

limit his profit to 25 cents a hundred

plus freight, and the retail grocer is

supposed to take no more than 50 cents

a hundred pounds profit. This regu-

lation was made by the food adminis-

tration, which now asks the housewife to reduce sugar consumption as much

as possible, using other sweeteners, and also reminds her that she should

pay no more than 9 cents a pound for sugar.

Control of Cane Refiners' Profits:

"Immediately upon the establish-

ment of the food administration," Mr.

Hoover said, "an examination was made of the costs and profits of refining and it was finally determined that the spread between the cost of raw and the sale of refined cane sugar should be limited to \$1.30 per hundred pounds. The pre-war differential had averaged about 85 cents and increased costs were found to have been imposed by the war in increased cost of refining, losses, cost of bags, labor, insurance, interest and other things, rather more than cover the difference. After prolonged negotiations the refiners were placed under agreement establishing these limits on October 1, and anything over this amount to be agreed exhortation under the law.

"In the course of these investigations it was found by canvass of the Cuban producers that their sugar had, during the first nine months of the past year, sold for an average of about \$4.24 per hundred L. O. B. Cuba, to which duty and freight added to the refiners' cost amount to about \$5.66 per hundred. The average sale price of granulated by various refineries, according to our investigation, was about \$7.50 per hundred, or a differential of \$1.84.

"In reducing the differential to \$1.30 there was a saving to the public of 54 cents per hundred. Had such a differential been in use from the 1st of January, 1917, the public would have saved in the first nine months of the year about \$24,800,000."

Next Year.

With a view to more efficient organization of the trade in imported sugars next year two committees have been formed by the food administration:

1. A committee comprising repre-

sentatives of all of the elements of

American cane refining groups. The

principal duty of this committee is to

divide the sugar imports pro rata to

their various capacities and see that

absolute justice is done to every re-

finer.

2. A committee comprising three rep-

resentatives of the English, French

and Italian governments; two rep-

resentatives of the American refiners,

with a member of the food administra-

tion. Only two of the committee have

arrived from Europe, but they repre-

sent the allied governments. The du-

ties of this committee are to determine

the most economical sources from a

transport point of view of all the al-

lies to arrange transport at uniform

rates, to distribute the foreign sugar

between the United States and allies,

subject to the approval of the Ameri-

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"This price should eventuate,"

Mr. Hoover said, "to about \$7.30

per hundred for refined sugar from

the refiners at seaboard points or

should place sugar in the hands of

the consumer at from 8½ to 9

cents per pound, depending upon

locality and conditions of trade, or

at from 1 to 2 cents below the

prices of August last and from one

half to a cent per pound cheaper

than today.

"There is now an elimination of

speculation, extortions, profits, and

in the refining alone the American

people will save over \$25,000,000 of

the refining charges last year. A part

of these savings goes to the Cuban,

Hawaiian, Porto Rican and Louisiana

producer and part to the consumer.

"Appeals to prejudice against the

food administration have been made

because the Cuban price is 34 cents

above that of 1917. It is said in effect

that the Cubans are at our mercy,

that we could get sugar a cent lower

if we made no effort to maintain the

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